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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
SEIICHI KASHIWABA, ET AL.) : Examiner: T.Q. Nguyen
Application No.: 09/236,339) : Group Art Unit: 2872
Filed: January 25, 1999) :
For: OPTICAL-ELEMENT)
HOLDING MECHANISM,)
IMAGE-SHAKE)
CORRECTING DEVICE AND)
OPTICAL APPARATUS) : November 17, 2003
) (Monday)

Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated July 15, 2003, for one month, from October 15, 2003 to Saturday, November 15, 2003 and further to November 17, 2003. A check in the amount of \$110.00 for payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows.